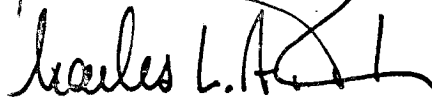


BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 1997-239-C

IN RE: Intrastate Universal Service Fund (USF))
Petition of the Office of Regulatory Staff)
For an Order Clarifying USF Guidelines and) NOTICE
Request for Expedited Relief)

TO: ALL PARTIES OF RECORD

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that you are hereby required, pursuant to R.103-837 and R.103-841 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, to answer the allegations contained in the Petition filed herein, a copy of which is herewith served upon you, and further to serve a copy of your Answer to said Petition upon the *Public Service Commission of South Carolina, Attn: Docketing Department, Post Office Drawer 11649, Columbia, South Carolina 29211 and the Office of Regulatory Staff* and to file your Answer with certification of service with the undersigned and the Office of Regulatory Staff within thirty (30) days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the Petition within the time aforesaid, the Petitioner may apply to the Commission for the relief demanded in the Petition.



Charles L. A. Terreni
Chief Clerk & Administrator
Public Service Commission of SC
Post Office Drawer 11649
Columbia, SC 29211

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
U.S. Postal Service**

I, Judy Matthews, do hereby certify that I have on the date indicated below served the following named individual(s) with one (1) copy of the Petition and one (1) copy of the Notice by **U.S. Certified Mail** with sufficient postage attached and return address clearly marked.

PARTIES SERVED:

See attached service list

I, Judy Matthews, do hereby certify that I have on the date indicated below served the following named individual(s) with one (1) copy of the Petition and one (1) copy of the Notice by **U.S. Regular Mail** with sufficient postage attached and return address clearly marked.

PARTIES SERVED:

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**Docketing Department
Public Service Commission of South Carolina**

By: Judy Matthews
Administrative Assistant

Columbia, South Carolina
April 4, 2006